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1. 5,708,149, Jan. 13, 1998, Method for producing purified recombinant Haemophilus influenzae transferrin binding proteins; Sheena Loosmore, et al., 530/418, 412, 413 :IMAGE AVAILABLE:

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3. 5,693,463, Dec. 2, 1997, Method of ordering sequence binding preferences of a DNA-binding molecule; Cynthia A. Edwards, et al., 435/6, 7.23; 536/23.1; 935/76, 77 :IMAGE AVAILABLE:

4. 5,681,570, Oct. 28, 1997, Immunogenic conjugate molecules; Yan-ping Yang, et al., 424/197.11, 203.1, 234.1, 244.1, 256.1; 514/54; 536/123.1 :IMAGE AVAILABLE:

5. 5,618,541, Apr. 8, 1997, Vaccine against **Neisseria** meningitidis infections; Marie-Jose Quentin-Millet, 424/250.1, 249.1; 435/871 :IMAGE AVAILABLE:

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8. 5,578,444, Nov. 26, 1996, Sequence-directed DNA-binding molecules compositions and methods; Cynthia A. Edwards, et al., 435/6, 7.23; 536/23.1; 935/76, 77 :IMAGE AVAILABLE:

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11. 5,141,743, Aug. 25, 1992, Method for isolating and purifying **transferrin** and lactoferrin **receptor** proteins and vaccines containing the same; Anthony B. Schryvers, 424/234.1, 249.1, 250.1, 255.1, 256.1, 278.1; 530/350, 395, 400, 413 :IMAGE AVAILABLE:

12. 4,943,522, Jul. 24, 1990, Lateral flow, non-bibulous membrane assay protocols; Robert W. Eisinger, et al., 435/7.25; 422/55, 56, 57, 58, 101; 435/5, 7.21, 7.23, 7.32, 805, 810; 436/512, 514, 518, 520, 523, 531, 535, 807, 808, 810; D24/223 :IMAGE AVAILABLE:

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TITLE: Method for producing purified recombinant Haemophilus influenzae transferrin binding proteins
US PAT NO: 5,708,149 DATE ISSUED: Jan. 13, 1998
:IMAGE AVAILABLE:
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TITLE: Bacterial hemoglobin receptor gene
US PAT NO: 5,698,438 DATE ISSUED: Dec. 16, 1997
:IMAGE AVAILABLE:
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TITLE: Method of ordering sequence binding preferences of a DNA-binding molecule
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TITLE: Immunogenic conjugate molecules
US PAT NO: 5,681,570 DATE ISSUED: Oct. 28, 1997
:IMAGE AVAILABLE:
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TITLE: Vaccine against **Neisseria** meningitidis infections
US PAT NO: 5,618,541 DATE ISSUED: Apr. 8, 1997
:IMAGE AVAILABLE:
APPL-NO: 08/066,167 DATE FILED: Jun. 2, 1993
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1992

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PCT-PUB-NO: WO93/06861 PCT-PUB-DATE: Apr.
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TITLE: Subunit vaccine against **Neisseria** meningitidis
infections and corresponding subunits in the purified
state

US PAT NO: 5,618,540 DATE ISSUED: Apr. 8, 1997

:IMAGE AVAILABLE:

APPL-NO: 08/064,174 DATE FILED: May 25, 1993

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FRN-PR CO: France

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1992

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15, 1993

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TITLE: Oral delivery of biologically active substances bound to
vitamin B12

US PAT NO: 5,589,463 DATE ISSUED: Dec. 31,
1996

:IMAGE AVAILABLE:

APPL-NO: 08/479,635 DATE FILED: Jun. 7, 1995

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REL-US-DATA: Division of Ser. No. 61,343, May 17, 1993, Pat.
No.

5,428,023, which is a continuation of Ser. No. 759,697,
Sep. 9, 1991, abandoned, which is a continuation of Ser.
No. 600,137, Oct. 19, 1990, abandoned, which is a
continuation of Ser. No. 84,821, Jun. 9, 1987,
abandoned.

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TITLE: Sequence-directed DNA-binding molecules
compositions and
methods

US PAT NO: 5,578,444 DATE ISSUED: Nov. 26,
1996

:IMAGE AVAILABLE:

APPL-NO: 08/171,389 DATE FILED: Dec. 20, 1993

REL-US-DATA: Continuation-in-part of Ser. No. 123,936, Sep.
17, 1993,

which is a continuation-in-part of Ser. No. 996,783,
Dec. 23, 1992, which is a continuation-in-part of Ser.
No. 723,618, Jun. 27, 1991, abandoned.

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TITLE: Oral delivery of biologically active substances bound to
vitamin B12 or analogues thereof

US PAT NO: 5,428,023 DATE ISSUED: Jun. 27,
1995

:IMAGE AVAILABLE:

APPL-NO: 08/061,343 DATE FILED: May 17, 1993

FRN-PR NO: PH2838 FRN FILED: Oct. 10, 1985

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23, 1987

REL-US-DATA: Continuation of Ser. No. 759,697, Sep. 9, 1991,
abandoned,

which is a continuation of Ser. No. 600,137, Oct. 19,
1990, abandoned, which is a continuation of Ser. No.
84,821, Jun. 9, 1987, abandoned.

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TITLE: Method for isolating and purifying **transferrin** and
lactoferrin **receptor** proteins from bacteria and the
preparation of vaccines containing the same

US PAT NO: 5,292,869 DATE ISSUED: Mar. 8, 1994

:IMAGE AVAILABLE:

APPL-NO: 07/507,481 DATE FILED: Apr. 11, 1990

REL-US-DATA: Continuation-in-part of Ser. No. 344,356, Apr.
27, 1989,
abandoned.

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TITLE: Method for isolating and purifying **transferrin** and
lactoferrin **receptor** proteins and vaccines
containing the same

US PAT NO: 5,141,743 DATE ISSUED: Aug. 25,
1992

:IMAGE AVAILABLE:

APPL-NO: 07/639,365 DATE FILED: Jan. 10, 1991

REL-US-DATA: Continuation of Ser. No. 344,356, Apr. 27, 1989,
abandoned.

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TITLE: Lateral flow, non-bibulous membrane assay protocols

US PAT NO: 4,943,522 DATE ISSUED: Jul. 24, 1990

:IMAGE AVAILABLE:

APPL-NO: 07/230,642 DATE FILED: Aug. 10, 1988

REL-US-DATA: Continuation-in-part of Ser. No. 57,273, Jun. 1,
1987,

abandoned, and a continuation-in-part of Ser. No.
57,271, Jun. 1, 1987, abandoned.

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US PAT NO: 5,618,541 :IMAGE AVAILABLE: L2: 5 of
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ABSTRACT:

A vaccinal pharmaceutical composition which comprises, as
therapeutic
agents, at least a first and a second molecule capable of binding to
human transferrin; the said first molecule originating from a first
strain of *N. meningitidis* which possesses a human **transferrin** **receptor** in which the lower molecular weight subunit (Tbp2) is
recognised by an antiserum to the receptor of *N. meningitidis* strain
2394
(receptor 2394) and is not recognised by an antiserum to the receptor
of
N. meningitidis strain 2169 (receptor 2169); and at least a second
molecule originating from a second strain of *N. meningitidis* which
possesses a human **transferrin** **receptor** in which the lower
molecular weight subunit (Tbp2) is recognised by an anti-receptor
2169
antiserum and is not recognised by an anti-receptor 2394 antiserum.

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US PAT NO: 5,618,540 :IMAGE AVAILABLE: L2: 6 of
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ABSTRACT:

The present invention relates to the lower molecular weight subunit
of

the human ****transferrin** **receptor**** of a strain of *N. meningitidis*, in purified form, as well as to a vaccinal pharmaceutical composition intended for the prevention or attenuation of the effects of an *N. meningitidis* infection, containing the said subunit in purified form.

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US PAT NO: 5,618,541 :IMAGE AVAILABLE: L2: 5 of 12

CLAIMS:

CLMS(1)

I claim:

1. A vaccinal pharmaceutical composition intended for preventing a ****Neisseria** meningitidis** infection, which comprises, as therapeutic agents, at least a first and a second molecule capable of binding to human transferrin which are either a human ****transferrin** **receptor**** of *N. meningitidis* or a subunit thereof; the said first molecule originating from a first strain of *N. meningitidis* which possesses a human ****transferrin** **receptor**** comprising a high molecular weight subunit and a lower molecular weight subunit, and in which the lower molecular weight subunit is recognised by an antiserum to the receptor of *N. meningitidis* strain 2394 (receptor 2394) and is not recognised by an antiserum to the receptor of *N. meningitidis* strain 2169 (receptor 2169); and the said second molecule originating from a second strain of *N. meningitidis* which possesses a human ****transferrin** **receptor**** comprising a high molecular weight subunit and a lower molecular weight subunit, and in which the lower molecular weight subunit is recognised by an anti-receptor 2169 antiserum and is not recognised by an anti-receptor 2394 antiserum.

CLMS(2)

2. A vaccinal pharmaceutical composition according to claim 1, which comprises, as therapeutic agents, at least a first and a second molecule capable of binding human transferrin; the said first molecule originating from a first strain of *N. meningitidis* which possesses a human ****transferrin** **receptor**** in which the high molecular subunit weight and the lower molecular weight subunit are recognised by an anti-receptor 2394 antiserum; and the said second molecule originating from a second strain of *N. meningitidis* which possesses a human ****transferrin** **receptor**** in which the high molecular weight subunit and the lower molecular weight subunit are recognised by an anti-receptor 2169 antiserum.

CLMS(3)

3. A vaccinal pharmaceutical composition according to claims 1 or 2, which comprises, as therapeutic agents, at least a first and a second

molecule capable of binding to human transferrin; the said first molecule originating from a first strain of *N. meningitidis* which possesses a human ****transferrin** **receptor**** comprising a subunit of high molecular weight of 100 kD approximately to 90 kD and a subunit of lower molecular weight of 75 kD to 60 kD; and the said second molecule originating from a second strain of *N. meningitidis* which possesses a human ****transferrin** **receptor**** comprising of a subunit of high molecular weight of 100 kD approximately to 90 kD and a subunit of lower molecular weight of 90 kD to 80 kD.

CLMS(4)

4. A vaccinal pharmaceutical composition according to claim 3, in which the said first molecule originates from a first strain of *N. meningitidis* which possesses a human ****transferrin** **receptor**** comprising a subunit of high molecular weight of 93-95 kD approximately and a subunit of lower molecular weight of 72 kD to 65 kD.

CLMS(5)

5. A vaccinal pharmaceutical composition according to claim 4, in which the said first molecule originates from a first strain of *N. meningitidis* which possesses a human ****transferrin** **receptor**** comprising a subunit of high molecular weight of 93 kD approximately and a subunit of lower molecular weight of 67-70 kD approximately.

CLMS(6)

6. A vaccinal pharmaceutical composition according to claim 5, in which the said second molecule originates from a second strain of *N. meningitidis* which possesses a human ****transferrin** **receptor**** comprising a subunit of high molecular weight of 100 kD approximately to 95 kD and a subunit of lower molecular weight of 87 kD to 85 kD.

CLMS(7)

7. A vaccinal pharmaceutical composition according to claim 6, in which the said second molecule originates from a second strain of *N. meningitidis* which possesses a human ****transferrin** **receptor**** comprising a subunit of high molecular weight of 98 kD approximately and a subunit of lower molecular weight of 87 kD approximately.

CLMS(8)

8. A vaccinal pharmaceutical composition according to claim 1, in which the said first and second molecules originate respectively from a first and second strain of *N. meningitidis* serogroup B.

CLMS(9)

9. A vaccinal pharmaceutical composition for preventing a ****Neisseria****

meningitidis infection, which comprises therapeutic agents comprising a first and a second molecule capable of binding to human transferrin which are either a human ****transferrin**** ****receptor**** of N. meningitidis or a subunit thereof; said first molecule originating from a first strain of N. meningitidis which possesses a human ****transferrin**** ****receptor**** comprising a high molecular weight subunit and a lower molecular weight subunit, and in which the lower molecular weight subunit is recognized by an antiserum to the receptor of N. meningitidis strain 2394 and is not recognized by an antiserum to the receptor of N. meningitidis strain 2169, and said second molecule, originating from a second strain of N. meningitidis which possesses a human ****transferrin**** ****receptor**** comprising a high molecular weight subunit and a lower molecular weight subunit, and in which the lower molecular weight subunit is recognized by an antiserum to the receptor of N. meningitidis strain 2169 and is not recognized by an antiserum to the receptor of N. meningitidis strain 2394.

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US PAT NO: 5,618,540 :IMAGE AVAILABLE: L2: 6 of 12

CLAIMS:

CLMS(1)

We claim:

1. The lower molecular weight subunit of the human ****transferrin**** ****receptor**** of a strain of N. meningitidis, in substantially purified form and in the absence of the higher molecular weight subunit of said receptor.

CLMS(2)

2. The lower molecular weight subunit of the human ****transferrin**** ****receptor**** of a strain of N. meningitidis serogroup B, in substantially purified form and in the absence of the higher molecular weight subunit of said receptor.

CLMS(3)

3. The lower molecular weight subunit of the human ****transferrin**** ****receptor**** of a strain of N. meningitidis, in substantially purified form and in the absence of the higher molecular weight subunit of receptor; the said subunit having a molecular weight of 65 to 74 kD approximately.

CLMS(4)

4. The lower molecular weight subunit of the human ****transferrin**** ****receptor**** of a strain of N. meningitidis strain 2394, in substantially purified form and in the absence of the higher molecular weight subunit of said receptor.

CLMS(5)

5. The lower molecular weight subunit of the human ****transferrin**** ****receptor**** of a strain of N. meningitidis, in substantially purified form and in the absence of the higher molecular weight subunit of said receptor; the said subunit having a molecular weight of 75 to 90 kD approximately.

CLMS(6)

6. The lower molecular weight subunit of the human ****transferrin**** ****receptor**** of an N. meningitidis strain 2169, in substantially purified form and in the absence of the higher molecular weight subunit of said receptor.

CLMS(7)

7. A vaccinal pharmaceutical composition which comprises, as therapeutic agent, the lower molecular weight subunit of the human ****transferrin**** ****receptor**** of at least one strain of N. meningitidis; in the absence of the high molecular weight subunit of the said receptor.

CLMS(8)

8. A pharmaceutical composition according to claim 7, which comprises the lower molecular weight subunit of the human ****transferrin**** ****receptor**** of at least one strain of N. meningitidis serogroup B.

CLMS(9)

9. A pharmaceutical composition according to claim 7, which comprises, as therapeutic agent, the lower molecular weight subunit of the human ****transferrin**** ****receptor**** of a strain of N. meningitidis; the said subunit having a molecular weight of 65 to 74 kD approximately.

CLMS(10)

10. A pharmaceutical composition according to claim 9, which comprises, as therapeutic agent, the lower molecular weight subunit of the human ****transferrin**** ****receptor**** of N. meningitidis 2394.

CLMS(11)

11. A pharmaceutical composition according to claim 7, which comprises, as therapeutic agent, the lower molecular weight subunit of the human ****transferrin**** ****receptor**** of a strain of N. meningitidis; the said subunit having a molecular weight of 75 to 90 kD approximately.

CLMS(12)

12. A pharmaceutical composition according to claim 11, which comprises, as therapeutic agent, the lower molecular weight subunit of the human ****transferrin**** ****receptor**** of N. meningitidis 2169.

CLMS(13)

13. A pharmaceutical composition according to claim 7, which comprises,

as therapeutic agent:

i) a first lower molecular weight subunit of the human

****transferrin****

****receptor**** of a first strain of *N. meningitidis*; the said first subunit having a molecular weight of 65 to 74 kD approximately; and

ii) a second lower molecular weight subunit of the human

****transferrin****

****receptor**** of a second strain of *N. meningitidis*; the said second subunit having a molecular weight of 75 to 90 kD approximately; in the absence of the high molecular weight subunit of the said receptor

of the said first and second strains of *N. meningitidis*.

CLMS(14)

14. A pharmaceutical composition according to claim 13, which comprises,

as therapeutic agent:

i) the lower molecular weight subunit of the human ****transferrin****

****receptor**** of *N. meningitidis* 2394; and

ii) the lower molecular weight subunit of the human ****transferrin****

****receptor**** of *N. meningitidis* 2169;

in the absence of the high molecular weight subunit of the said receptor

of *N. meningitidis* strains 2394 and 2169.

CLMS(15)

15. A vaccinal pharmaceutical composition which comprises, as a therapeutic agent, the lower molecular weight subunit of the human ****transferrin**** ****receptor**** of a strain of *N. meningitidis*, in the absence of the high molecular weight subunit of said receptor.

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:IMAGE AVAILABLE:

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****Marie J. Quentin-Millet****, et al., 424/250.1, 249.1; 435/871

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3. 5,045,203, Sep. 3, 1991, Separation of protein antigens of *Bordetella* bacteria by affinity chromatography; ****Marie-Jose Quentin-Millet****, et

al., 210/635, 198.2, 502.1, 656; 502/403; 530/413, 417, 825

:IMAGE

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4. 4,985,144, Jan. 15, 1991, Affinity chromatography material for antigens of the bacteria of the *Bordetella* genus; ****Marie-Jose B. Quentin-Millet****, et al., 210/198.2, 502.1, 635, 656; 502/403; 530/413,

417 :IMAGE AVAILABLE:

5. 4,965,205, Oct. 23, 1990, Culture medium for bacteria of the *Bordetella* genus containing etherified derivative of D-glucose and a cyclodextrin; ****Marie-Jose B. Quentin-Millet****, et al., 435/252, 244, 248, 252.1, 253.6, 822 :IMAGE AVAILABLE:

6. 4,774,086, Sep. 27, 1988, Process for the purification, solubilization and/or detoxification of protein antigens of bacteria of the *Bordetella* genus using a carbonate buffer and an acellular anti-whooping cough vaccine; ****Marie-Jose B. Quentin-Millet****, et al., 424/240.1, 254.1, 278.1; 435/243, 244, 822; 530/417 :IMAGE AVAILABLE: